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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

BEN BOATWRIGHT ET AL

Serial No.: 10/665,467

Filed: September 22, 2003

For: STITCHLESS ON-SITE BINDING APPLICATION METHOD AND DEVICE

Docket No.: 0671/8

Group Art Unit: 1733

Examiner: Christopher Schatz

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

To the Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Official Action of August 23, 2005, please amend the above-identified

Application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification commence on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which commences on  
page 3 of this paper.

Remarks commence on page 6 of this paper.

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